

VoiceOver Gestures to Select and/or Activate (Tap/Touch)

Double-tap: Activate selected item. Aka open

Touch an item with one finger, tap the screen with another finger (“split-tapping”):
Activate item.

Double-tap and hold (1 second) + standard gesture: Use a standard gesture. The double-tap and hold gesture tells iPad to interpret the subsequent gesture as standard.

For example, you can double-tap and hold, and then without lifting your finger, drag your finger to slide a switch. You can use standard gestures when VoiceOver is turned on, by double-tapping and holding your finger on the screen. A series of tones indicates that normal gestures are in force. They remain in effect until you lift your finger, then VoiceOver gestures resume.

Two-finger double tap: Play or pause in iPod, YouTube, or Photos. Start or stop the stopwatch.

Three-finger double tap: Mute or unmute VoiceOver.

Three-finger triple tap: Turn the display on or off.